

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1272
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FUNDS FOR REPAIRING OF ROADS
Swamygowda Shri N Cheluvarya Swamy

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the State Government of Karnataka has urged the Union Government to allocate funds for road repair;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the additional funds have been released or proposed to be released by the Union Government in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI R. P. N. SINGH)

(a) to (d) During the current financial year, no request has been received by the Ministry from the State Government of Karnataka for allocation of funds for repairs. So far, an allocation of Rs.18.37 Crore towards maintenance and repairs of National Highways has been made for the State of Karnataka during 2009-10 on the basis of Vote on Account passed by the Parliament. Further allocation will be made after the Budget for the current financial year is passed by the Parliament.